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March 3, 2004

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	13	-	20	=	0	\$ 18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	1	-	3	=	0	\$ 86	\$0.00
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						TOTAL	\$0.00

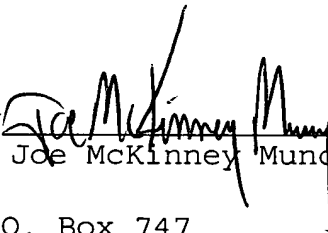
- ☒ Petition for one (1) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$110.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$110.00 is(are) enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,


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Attachment (s)

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Appl. No.: 09/933,008 Group: 2834
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 3, 2004

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated November 3, 2003, the period for response having been extended one month to March 3, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes amended claim set and Remarks.

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